

PHYSICAL THERAPY AFFILIATED CREDENTIALING BOARD
REGULAR MEETING
SEPTEMBER 25, 2001

MEMBERS PRESENT: Shirley Mook; Nelda Thomas, PT; Barbara Flaherty, PT; Otto Cordero, PT;

LEGAL COUNSEL: none

STAFF PRESENT: Patrick D. Braatz, Karen Rude-Evans

GUESTS: Laurie Kontney, PT; James Greenwald, DC; Ron Hermes, WPTA

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Shirley Mook called the meeting to order at 8:32 a.m. Ms. Mook welcomed Otto Cordero and Laurie Kontney to the Board. Ms. Kontney has been appointed but not yet confirmed.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Nelda Thomas moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to approve the agenda as published.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JULY 24, 2001

Correction: -On page one, change MEMBER ABSENT to MEMBER EXCUSED.

MOTION: Barbara Flaherty moved, seconded by Nelda Thomas, to approve the Minutes of May 23, 2001 as written. Motion carried unanimously.

SECRETARY OSCAR HERRERA

Secretary Herrera said DRL fared well with the recently passed budget bill. All agencies had to cut 5% from their budget, and DRL's 5% came from its reserve fund. Three additional positions were also allocated for DOE.

PRESENTATION OF PROPOSED STIPULATION

TRACY L KIENER, PT

DOE attorney Colleen Baird presented a proposed stipulation in the matter concerning Tracy L. Kiener, PT. This matter will be deliberated on in closed session.

REPORTS ON PENDING COURT CASES, DISCIPLINARY CASES AND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

These reports were informational.

FSBPT EDUCATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Barbara Flaherty reported on the FSBPT Education Committee Meeting. Examination security was discussed. The mission of the FSBPT is protection of the public, while the APTA's focus is the promotion of the profession

ACCREDITATION UPDATE ON PHYSICAL THERAPY EDUCATION

This item was informational.

RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

MOTION: Otto Cordero moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to allow Laurie Kontney to sit in on closed session. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Nelda Thomas moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to recess to closed session pursuant to Chapter 19.85(1)(a), (b), (f) and (g), Wis Stats., for the purpose of deliberation of a proposed stipulation, conducting oral examinations of three candidates for licensure and reviewing case status report. Roll call vote: Nelda Thomas – yes, Barbara Flaherty – yes, Shirley Mook – yes, Otto Cordero - yes. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session recessed at 9:16 a.m.

RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION

MOTION: Barbara Flaherty moved, seconded by Nelda Thomas, to reconvene in open session. Motion carried unanimously.

Open session reconvened at 1:22 p.m.

VOTING ON ITEMS CONSIDERED/DELIBERATED ON IN CLOSED SESSION

ORAL EXAMINATIONS

MOTION: Nelda Thomas moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to grant a license to **Gold Siao**, and to send failure notices to **Nkechi Ogbodo** and **Marcello Torres**. Motion carried unanimously.

CASE STATUS REPORT

MOTION: Barbara Flaherty moved, seconded by Otto Cordero, to close complaint **01 PHT 002** for no violation. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION: Nelda Thomas moved, seconded by Otto Cordero, to close complaint **01 PHT 003** for no violation. Case advisor – Barbara Flaherty. Motion carried unanimously.

PROPOSED STIPULATION

TRACY L KIENER, PT

MOTION: Otto Cordero moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to adopt the Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order in the matter concerning Tracy L. Kiener, PT. Motion carried unanimously.

BOARD POLICY ON FUTURE STIPULATIONS

MOTION: Nelda Thomas moved, seconded by Otto Cordero, to set a Board policy that all future stipulations must first be approved by the board advisor prior to the stipulations being sent to the respondents. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

MOTION: Nelda Thomas moved, seconded by Barbara Flaherty, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 1:25 p.m.

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